

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants have now submitted a corresponding computer-readable Sequence Listing. The sequence information recorded in the corresponding computer-readable Sequence Listing is identical to the paper copy of the Sequence Listing filed with the application on October 29, 2004. No new matter is believed to have been introduced by the submission of the corresponding computer-readable Sequence Listing.

Applicants submit that the present application is ready for examination on the merits. Early notice to this effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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